# Covansys Weekly Executive Status Report



Project: Statewide Voter Registration System

**Project Manager:** W. Gary Bush **For Weeks Ending:** 18-Nov-05

Project Schedule:

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262 days used of 336 total project days

78% of implementation schedule expended

# Project Highlights

The following represent the most important facts about the project as of this status report:

# Phase 4 (Software Modification and Testing) Development Progressing

- Final UAT Corrections in process. Pilot rollout designated as an extension of UAT.
  - Fix build of 11/14 still has issues to be resolved. Fix schedule being compiled.
  - Final letters being tested.
- Hunterdon County's end-user hardware, was installed on 11/15.

#### Phase 5 (Pilot Implementation) Data Re-Converted

- Three pilot counties (Mercer, Ocean, and Essex) went live on 10/24.
- Legacy data was re-pulled on 11/01 and reloaded on Monday, 11/14.
- Covansys provided on-site staff in each county for several days this past week.
- As election activites subsided, the 3 counties increased their activities within the SVRS. New data and application issues were discovered and have been logged. They are also being addressed.

### Phase 6 (Staged Rollout and Deployment - Remaining Sites) Assessing Training

- Full Training Guide in final printing of materials for remaining rollout counties. Being shipped as required to support classes.
- All Training Guides for Municipal Clerks have been received for upcoming classes. All class schedules are made.

#### **Business Transition Change Management Plan Underway**

- Track 2 training classes resumed this week for Atlantic, Cape May, Cumberland, Hudson, and Salem Counties.
- T2 classes are scheduled to complete by Dec. 15th.
- The remaining classes for municipal clerks resume the end of November (11/28).
- Rollout Support Schedules are being updated again to account for rollout delays.

#### Data Conversions Enter Final Phase.

- Re-conversions for Mercer, Essex, and Ocean counties were completed on Monday, Nov. 14th.
- Conversion programs being updated to improve conversion of history and other supporting file loading.
- Pull dates are being reworked to accomodate the delay in rollouts, per the State's demand.

#### DIA Agency interfaces still being finalized

- AT&T MPLS data line installed. Line configuration issues still being worked by MVC and ATS technical staffs. Test transfers have been delayed again to next week.
- State OIT must provide the NAT addresses, so the comm link can be configured at the state SVRS server site (CT).
- State is still finalizing the MOU with MVC.

#### **Recent Accomplishments**

The tasks listed below were completed recently by the project team:

Project Plan				Scheduled Complete	
Phase Key	Task	Who	Start Date	Date	Comments
	Begin Installs of Full Rollout Site Workstations and Peripherals	ATS	Completed		All counties installed, including Hunterdon. IT Support website being reworked to improve flexibility for updates.
	Process Data through Conversion Programs	GLBush	Underway	14-Nov	Final Pulls for the three pilots were reconverted and loaded into the SVRS on 11/14.

## Work in Progress

The tasks listed represent the activities in which the team is engaged the week following this reporting period.

Project Plan				Scheduled Complete	
Phase Key	Task	Who	Start Date	Date	Comments
	Install T-1 data lines to each county's server	ATS	Underway		Final data line scheduled for upgrade (Cape May). Delayed, based on Verizon construction scheduling.
P7b2	Conduct Internal Testing (Interface, Integration)	GLBush	Underway	18-Nov	MVC On-line interface re-scheduled for testing next week

# Coming Events

#### **Upcoming Activities**

The events listed below are highlights scheduled for the near future of the project.

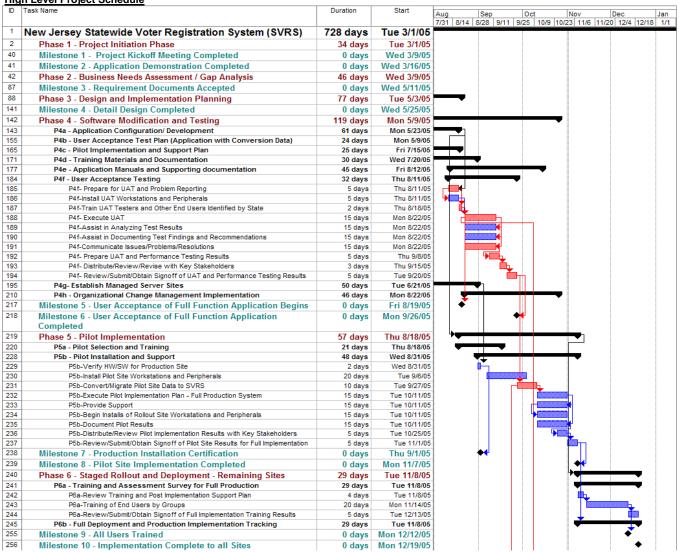
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Status	Event	Start Date	Date	Comments
Scheduled	Weekly Team Status Meetings	17-May	On-going	Every Tuesday @ 9:30AM
Underway	Final Coding efforts and bug-fixes for UAT	30-Jun	30-Nov	
Scheduled	Performance and Load Testing of application & systems	12-Sep	23-Nov	Results under review.

#### **Project Scope Changes**

The following changes to the project scope have been proposed by Covansys to The State of New Jersey

		Change			
		Request	CR Approval		
CR Status	Change Request	Owner	Date	CR Impact	Comments
Accepted	Addition of 6th county to Pilot Group	WG Bush	4-Apr-05	Medium	6th county now confirmed
Approved	All-Oracle Database for all servers	WG Bush	30-Jun-05	Large	Cost reduction approved.
Researching	Workflow changes for DIA screens	WG Bush	TDB	Medium	Effort being estimated by PCC
Approved	End-user hardware increase above proposal estimates	WG Bush	22-Jul-05	Large	State will purchase this HW through Covansys
Approved	Proposal to Purchase Print Servers for each county (21)	WG Bush	24-Aug-05	Large	State will purchase this HW through Covansys
Approved	Cost Savings to State by dropping end- user hardware M&S in lieu of ordering additional replacement hardware.	WG Bush	24-Aug-05	Large	State will purchase this HW through Covansys
Approved	Proposal to Purchase Server Racks for Mercer and Essex Counties	WG Bush	24-Aug-05	Small	State will purchase this HW through Covansys
Approved	Additional PC purchases for Missed and Increased Counts to Counties	WG Bush	29-Aug-05	Medium	State will purchase this HW through Covansys

High Level Project Schedule



# Customer Status Report

256	Milestone 10 - Implementation Complete to all Sites	0 days	Mon 12/19/05		
257	Phase 7 - Conversion and Interface	197 days	Mon 3/14/05		
258	P7a - Data Conversion	197 days	Mon 3/14/05		
259	P7a1 - Data Conversion and Migration Plan	17 days	Mon 3/14/05		
268	P7a2 - Data Conversion Results Cycle 1	35 days	Wed 4/6/05		
277	P7a3 - Data Conversion Results Cycle 2	90 days	Wed 5/25/05		-
284	P7a4 - Data Conversion Results Cycle 3	74 days	Tue 9/6/05	_	
285	Pilot Sites	25 days	Tue 9/6/05	_	
286	p7a4 - Collect data from each Pilot data source	12 days	Tue 9/6/05		₩.
287	P7a4 - Process Data through Conversion Programs	5 days	Tue 9/27/05		<b>4</b>
288	P7a4 - Distribute Final Implementation Conversion reports to Pilot	5 days	Tue 10/4/05		
	source contact person				
289	Staged Rollout per Site	25 days	Mon 11/14/05		
293	P7b - Interface	143 days	Tue 3/15/05		_
294	P7b1 - External Interface Design Document	48 days	Tue 3/15/05		
301	P7b2 Interface testing results document	95 days	Fri 5/20/05		
302	P7b2 - External Interface Development	95 days	Fri 5/20/05	:	
303	P7b2-Conduct Internal Testing (Interface, Integration)	25 days	Tue 8/30/05		
304	P7b2-Document Internal Testing	20 days	Wed 9/7/05		
305	Phase 8 - Project Close-out and Transition to Maintenance and Support	311 days	Tue 10/11/05		
330	Milestone 11 - Project Close-out and Transition to Maintenance	0 days	Wed 2/1/06		
	and Support Completed				
331	Ongoing Project Management	235 days	Tue 3/1/05		
411	Comprehensive Full Service Support	260 days	Fri 12/29/06		
416	Milestone 12 - Maintenance and Support Complete	0 days	Mon 12/31/07		